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in re Application of: Yukun Sun

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GLP-1 (7-36) POLYPEPTIDE AND/OR GLP-1
ANALOGS**

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PETITION FOR EXPUNGEMENT OF INFORMATION

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Sir:

Applicants inadvertently filed two responses to the Office Action mailed on July 31, 2006. The first response was submitted by Wong, Cabello, Lutsch, Rutherford & Bruccleri, LLP on January 31, 2007, and the second response was submitted by Perkins Coie LLP. The duplicate response was submitted due to inadvertent error and was redundant and unnecessary. Pursuant to CFR §1.59(b), applicants respectfully request that the first response filed on January 31, 2007 be expunged. Removal of the first response should not affect further prosecution of the application. The second response constitutes a complete reply to the Office Action mailed on July 31, 2006.

Applicants further authorize the commissioner to charge \$200 from Deposit Account No. 50-2586 as the expungement fee required under CFR §1.17(g).

Respectfully submitted,

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